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The Hon. A. David Copperthite United States District Court for the District of Maryland 101 West Lombard Street, 8B Baltimore, Maryland 21201

> Re: Alfred Chestnut, et al. v. Donald Kincaid, et al.

> > Civil Action No. LKG-20-2342

Dear Judge Copperthite:

Pursuant to your Letter Order of August 9, 2021 (ECF 52), we write regarding a discovery dispute that Plaintiffs and the Baltimore Police Department ("BPD") have been unable to resolve despite good-faith efforts to do so.

Plaintiffs served a written discovery request on BPD requesting that it produce "true and correct copies of all BPD files regarding investigations of homicides occurring between 1980 and 1983, in which Defendant Donald Kincaid was the lead BPD homicide detective." BPD has objected to producing such records. The parties met and conferred by telephone on October 19, 2021, but have been unable to resolve their dispute.

Plaintiffs and BPD will set out their respective positions in submissions, to be filed within 24 hours of this letter. Individual Defendant Officers join BPD's objections and will join BPD's submission.

Respectfully,

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